

Blue Cross Blue Shield Association.

PROVIDER ENROLLMENT



AGENDA

- Provider Enrollment Requirements
- Enrollment Process Overview
- Provider Enrollment Reminders
- My Provider Enrollment Portal Overview
- Completing a Clean Application
- Making Corrections to Applications
- Resources

Provider Enrollment Applications and Forms

Application or form	Used for
Individual Enrollment	New practitioners that want to enroll with BlueCross (not for Behavioral Health)
Group Practice Enrollment	New groups that want to enroll with BlueCross
Facility Information Request	New medical facilities that want to credential with BlueCross
Virtual Care Services	Practitioners or groups that want to render telemedicine and telehealth services
Health Professional	In-state, out-of-network practitioners that want to file claims to BlueCross
Behavioral Health	New practitioners or groups that want to enroll in our behavioral health network
Autism Provider Panel	Applied behavior analysts that want to enroll in our autism provider panel
Doing Business As Name Change	Changing the doing business as (DBA) name of a practice
Change of Address	Updating the physical, pay to, correspondence or billing agency address
Satellite Location	Enrolled groups that have new locations that want to file claims
NPI Provider Notification	Out-of-state and out-of-network practitioners that need to register their NPI with BlueCross
Add or Terminate Practitioner	Adding or terminating a practitioner's affiliation with a clinic, group or institution

What to Include: Individual Enrollment – Ancillary Providers (Speech, Physical, Occupational and Audiology)

Checklist Items
Provider Enrollment Application
Copy of SC Medical or Practice License
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M)
Authorization to Bill for Services
Signed Contracts
Hold Harmless*
Appendix D*
Medicaid ID Number**

^{*}Only if applying for BlueChoice HealthPlan.

^{**}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Individual Enrollment – Dental Providers

Checklist Items	Oral Surgery	Routine
Provider Enrollment Application		
Copy of SC Medical or Practice License		
Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Certification*		
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M)		
Authorization to Bill for Services		
Signed Contracts	Footnote 1	Footnote 2
Professional Training		
Hold Harmless**		
Appendix D**		
Medicaid ID Number***		

- 1 Medical contract, dental contract or both.
- 2 Dental contract only.

^{*}Only if applicable.

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^{***}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Individual Enrollment – Mid-Level Providers

Checklist Items	NP	PA	CRNA/AA	Midwife	CNS	Hospitalist
Provider Enrollment Application						
Copy of SC Medical or Practice License						
Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Certification*						
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M)						
Authorization to Bill for Services						
Nurse Practitioner Preceptor Form						
Protocols (Written Agreement)						
Signed Contracts						
Hold Harmless**						
Appendix D**						
Medicaid ID Number***						
Professional Training****						

NP: Nurse Practitioner

PA: Physician Assistant

CRNA: Certified Registered Nurse Anesthetist

CNS: Clinical Nurse Specialist

*Only if applicable.

**Only if applying for BlueChoice HealthPlan.

***Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

****Required for MDs, DOs and DPMs.

What to Include: Individual Enrollment – Pharmacists

Checklist Items
Provider Enrollment Application
Copy of SC Medical or Practice License
Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Certification*
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$1M)
Authorization to Bill for Services
Signed Contracts
Hold Harmless**
Appendix D**
Medicaid ID Number***

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^{**}Only if applying for BlueChoice HealthPlan.

^{***}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Individual Enrollment – Physicians and Chiropractors

Checklist Items
Provider Enrollment Application
Copy of SC Medical or Practice License
Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Certification*
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M)
Authorization to Bill for Services
Signed Contracts
Professional Training**
Hold Harmless***
Appendix D***
Medicaid ID Number****

^{*}Only if applicable.

^{**}Required for MDs, DOs and DPMs.

^{***}Only if applying for BlueChoice HealthPlan.

^{****}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Group Practice Enrollment – Ambulance

Checklist Items
Group Practice Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer
Signed Contracts
Medicaid ID Number*
Copy of CMS Letter

^{*}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Group Practice Enrollment – Dental

Checklist Items
Group Practice Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer
Signed Contracts*
Medicaid ID Number**
Add Practitioner Form***

- *For oral surgeons applying for BlueChoice and Healthy Blue. All other contracts are based on the individual practitioner's credentialing status.
- **Only for oral surgeons applying for Healthy Blue.
- ***For each physician being added to the group. This form does not generate with the group application. It is under the Find a Form section of the portal. Note: If the provider is not credentialed, you must complete the Provider Enrollment application.

What to Include: Group Practice Enrollment – Durable Medical Equipment

Checklist Items
Group Practice Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer
Signed Contracts
Medicaid ID Number*
Copy of CMS Letter with Medicare PTAN
Copy of Business License

^{*}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Group Practice Enrollment – Home Health, Hospice, Dialysis, Hospitals, Skilled Nursing and ASC

Checklist Items
Group Practice Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer
Signed Contracts
Medicaid ID Number*
Copy of CMS Letter
Copy of Business License
Copy of DHEC License

^{*}Only if applying for Healthy Blue

What to Include: Group Practice Enrollment – Pharmacy

Checklist Items
Group Practice Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer
Signed Contracts
Medicaid ID Number*
Copy of CMS Letter with Medicare PTAN
Copy of DHEC License

^{*}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

What to Include: Group Practice Enrollment – Physician Office

Checklist Items
Group Practice Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer
Signed Contracts**
Medicaid ID Number*
Add Practitioner Form***

^{*}Only if applying for Healthy Blue.

^{**}Only for BlueChoice and Healthy Blue. All other commercial contracts are based on the individual practitioner's credentialing status.

^{***}For each physician being added to the group. This form does not generate with the group application. It is under the Find a Form section of the portal. Note: If the provider is not credentialed, you must complete the Provider Enrollment application.

What to Include: Behavioral Health

Checklist Items
Behavioral Health or Autism Panel Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (or W9)
Professional Agreements (includes Hold Harmless and Appendix C)
Copy of SC State License
Copy of DEA License (if applicable)
Copy of Board Certification (if applicable)
Nurse Protocols (NPs only)
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M)

What to Include: In State, Out-of-Network

Individual Physician

Checklist Items Health Professional Application* Authorization to Bill for Services*

*Needed for each individual being linked to the practice.

Group Practice

	Checklist Items
	Group Practice Application
	IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
	Electronic Funds Transfer Enrollment

Note: Groups that wish to remain out-of-network must select "No" for the network participation question on the application.

What to Include: Out-of-State, Out-of-Network

Ch	hecklist Items
NP	PI Notification Form
Co	ppy of W9

What to Include: Satellite Locations

Checklist Items
Satellite Location Application
IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575 E)
Electronic Funds Transfer*
Add Practitioner Form**
Authorization to Bill for Services***
Hold Harmless***
Appendix D***

^{*}Only if a new NPI is being registered.

^{**}For each physician being added to the group. This form does not generate with the group application. It is under the Find a Form section of the portal. Note: If the provider is not credentialed, you must complete the Provider Enrollment application.

^{***}Only if the practitioner is not associated with other locations.

Signature Requirements

Medical Networks		
Application or Form	Signature Requirements	
Provider Enrollment	Electronic or wet	
Recredentialing	Electronic or wet	
Facility Information Request	Electronic or wet	
Health Professional	Electronic or wet	
Doing Business As	Electronic or wet	
Change of Address	Electronic or wet	
Add/Term Practitioner	Electronic or wet	
Authorization to Bill	Electronic or wet	
Electronic Funds Transfer (EFT)	Wet	
Appendix D (BlueChoice® HealthPlan)	Wet	
Hold Harmless (BlueChoice®)	Wet	
ALL Contracts	Wet	

Behavioral Health Network	
Application or Form	Signature Requirements
Behavioral Health	Electronic or wet
Autism Panel	Electronic or wet
Facility Information Request	Electronic or wet
Authorization to Bill	Electronic or wet
ALL Contracts	Electronic or wet

OVERVIEW OF THE ENROLLMENT PROCESS

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Clean Application Process

- 1. Enrollment team receives complete enrollment application
- 2. Application is reviewed for completion and sent to the Credentialing Committee
 - Only complete and accurate applications are sent to the committee.
 - o For applications with missing/incomplete documentation, providers are notified **21 days** to submit the requested items.
 - o If the missing items are not received within **28 days**, the application is canceled.
 - Non-approved applications go to the Disciplinary Committee for approval or denial
 - The verdict is sent to the provider.
- 3. Approved applications are sent to Contracting for review
 - Approved contracts are executed
- 4. Welcome email and packet (with effective dates) is sent to the provider

OVERVIEW OF THE ENROLLMENT PROCESS

Clean Application Process – Things to Keep in Mind

- The Credentialing Committee reviews all enrollment applications to ensure all required credentialing criteria are met:
 - Utilization Review Accreditation Commission (URAC)
 - National Committee for Quality Assurance (NCQA)
 - South Carolina Department of Health & Human Services (SCDHHS), when applicable
- Effective dates are based on the Credentialing Committee's approval date, per URAC requirements
- Backdating network dates is not allowed
 - Affiliation dates can be backdated.
 - Up to Jan. 1st of the previous year (e.g., affiliations for 2024 can go back up to Jan. 1, 2023)
 - If the application is pending, email documentation requesting the backdated affiliation date to Provider.Requested.Info@bcbssc.com.
 - If the application is completed, fax the documentation to 803-264-4795.

Missing items – Common Missing Items That Cause Delays in the Processing of Applications

Unsigned applications and contracts

For applications

- Select My Forms
- 2. Select the appropriate case number
- 3. Select Form Information
- 4. Under Documents, select the document(s) that require signature
- 5. Download the document(s) and have the signature(s) appended
- 6. Scan the documents and follow steps 1 4 and select Upload Files
- 7. Select the Confirm button to attest that all required documentation with applicable signatures, initials and dates have been uploaded

For contracts

- 1. Select My Contracts
- 2. Select the appropriate form contract name that corresponds with your case number
- 3. Under Download Contract, select the link to download and sign the contract
- 4. Scan the documents and follow steps 1-2 and select Upload Files

Invalid dates

- Malpractice dates must be valid and active on or before the requested starts date.
- Signature dates on contracts and applications must be current.

IMPORTANT NOTE:

An automated notification for missing items is sent every seven days until the information is received. Outreach is made on:

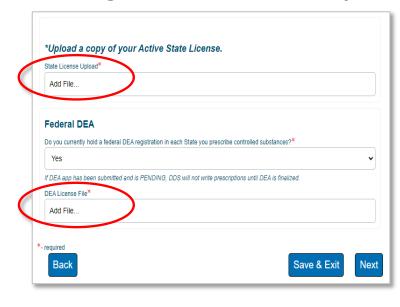
- Day 7 First request
- Day 14 Second request
- Day 21 Third (final) request

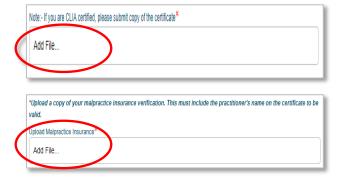
If the missing items are not received, the case will be placed in the "Canceled – Incomplete Submission" status. Once in this status, it cannot be reopened, and a new application must be completed.

Missing items – Common Missing Items That Cause Delays in the Processing of Applications (Continued)

Incomplete submissions

- Missing a copy of the following:
 - State/medical license
 - DEA license
 - CLIA certificate
 - Malpractice verification





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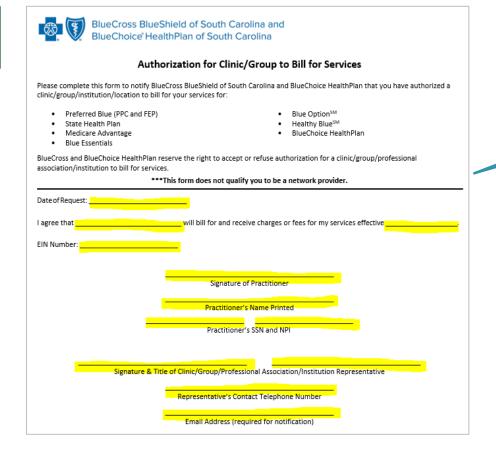
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Missing items – Common Missing Items That Cause Delays in the Processing of Applications (Continued)

Incomplete documentation

 Authorization to Bill missing effective dates and representative details



All highlighted fields MUST be completed.

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- Day 7 First request
- Day 14 Second request
- Day 21 Third (final) request

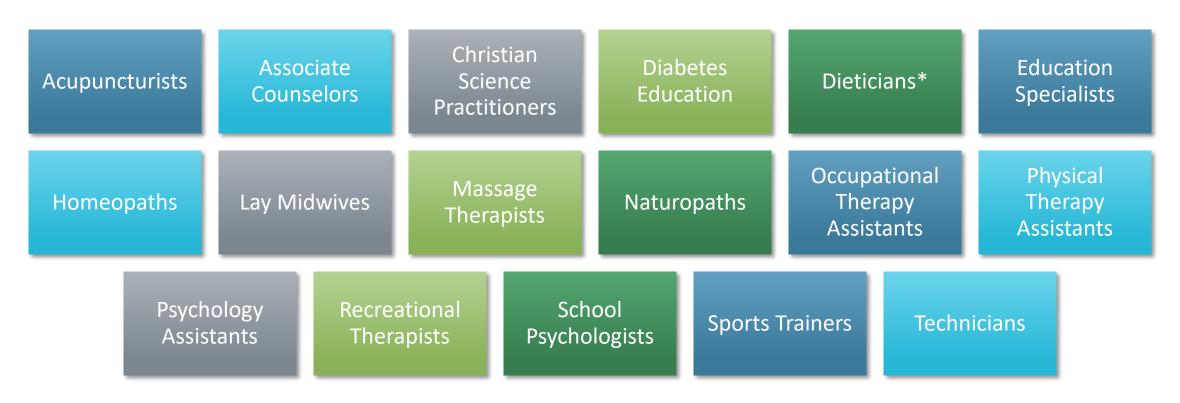
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Recredentialing

- Recredentialing occurs every three years.
- Our credentialing team makes outreach when the provider's recredentialing date is approaching.
 - First, they call to see if the provider is actively working at the location on file.
 - o If no response is received after the first attempt, a second attempt is made in **14 days**.
 - If no response is received after the second attempt, a third attempt is made in seven days.
 - o If no response is received after the third (final) attempt, the status change process begins.
- If the recredentialing date is missed, the provider is termed, and new enrollment is required.

Note: Be sure the credentialing contact email address is current as this is what's used for outreach.

Non-credentialed Providers



Note: This list may not be all inclusive.
*Can join the Healthy Blue network.

Provider Directory Validation

As of Jan. 1, 2022, providers are required to verify their demographic data at least every 90 days. Our provider directory team also makes outreach every 90 days to ensure validation.

Note: Be sure the credentialing contact email address is current as this is what's used for outreach.

Importance of Validation

- Allows us to maintain accurate directories
- Ensures members know where to find you

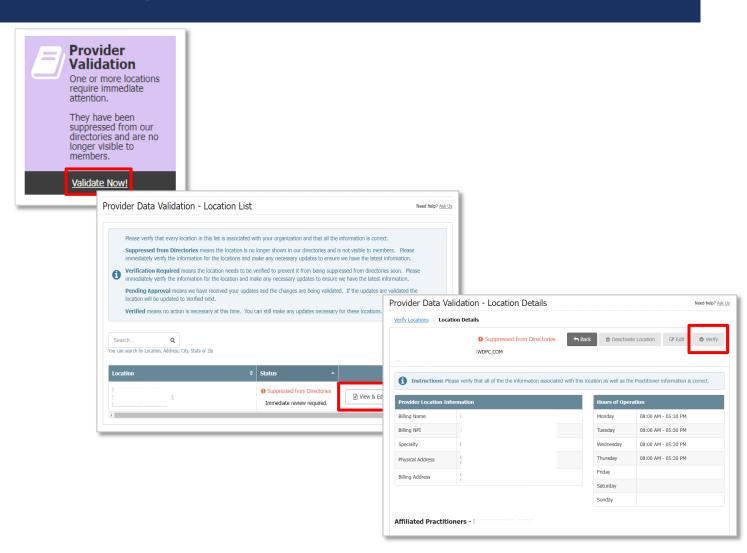
How to Validate Information

M.D. Checkup

Provider Directory Validation (Continued)

Has your location been suppressed?

- Locations are suppressed in the provider directory if more than 90 days has passed since the last validation was made, per the CAA guidelines.
- To have the suppressed status updated, the group administrator should:
 - Log into My Insurance Manager^{s™}
 - Select Validate Now in the Provider Validation box
 - Select View and Edit from the location(s) listed
 - Review the information, make the necessary updates, if needed, and select Verify



Provider Updates – My Provider Enrollment Portal

The following updates can be made using My Provider Enrollment Portal

- Business name change
 - Using the Doing Business As (DBA) Name Change form
- Address change
 - Using the Change of Address form
- NPI update
 - Using the NPI Provider Notification form
- Adding a location
 - Using the Application for Satellite Location form
- Adding or terminating practitioner affiliation
 - Using the Add or Terminate Practitioner Affiliation form



Provider Updates – M.D. Checkup

What is M.D. Checkup?

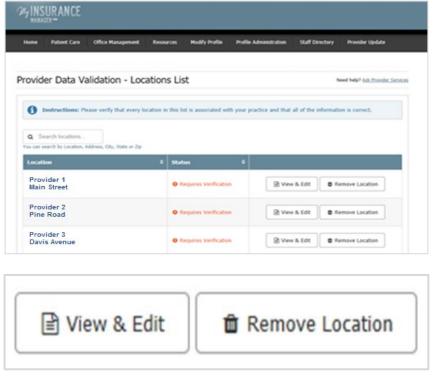
- Web-based tool used for provider demographic updates
- M.D. Checkup is accessible through My Insurance Manager

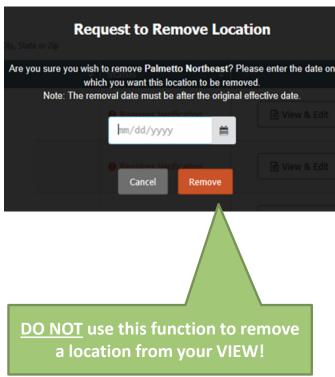
The following updates can be made through M.D. Checkup:

- Business name change
- Address change
- Adding or terminating a location
- Adding or terminating a practitioner affiliation
 - You can only add a practitioner in M.D. checkup if they are <u>enrolled and associated</u> with the tax identification number.



M.D. Checkup – Removing Locations







M.D. Checkup – Adding Practitioner Affiliations

To add a practitioner affiliation through M.D. Checkup:



- The practitioner must be <u>enrolled and associated</u> with the tax identification number (TIN).
 - Submit the Add/Terminate Practitioner Affiliation form to add a practitioner to a location under a different TIN.

Example:

- TIN A 123456789
 - Location 1
 - Location 2
- TIN B 987654321

Dr. Tommy Pickles is associated with TIN A and works at Location 1. He can be added to Location 2 through M.D. Checkup.

Dr. Tommy Pickles **is not associated** with TIN B. To be added to this location, the Add/Terminate Practitioner Affiliation form must be submitted.

MY PROVIDER ENROLLMENT PORTAL OVERVIEW

Use the portal to:

- Become a network provider.
- Receive automated status updates.
- Make certain updates for the physician or practice.
- Receive notifications when additional information is needed.



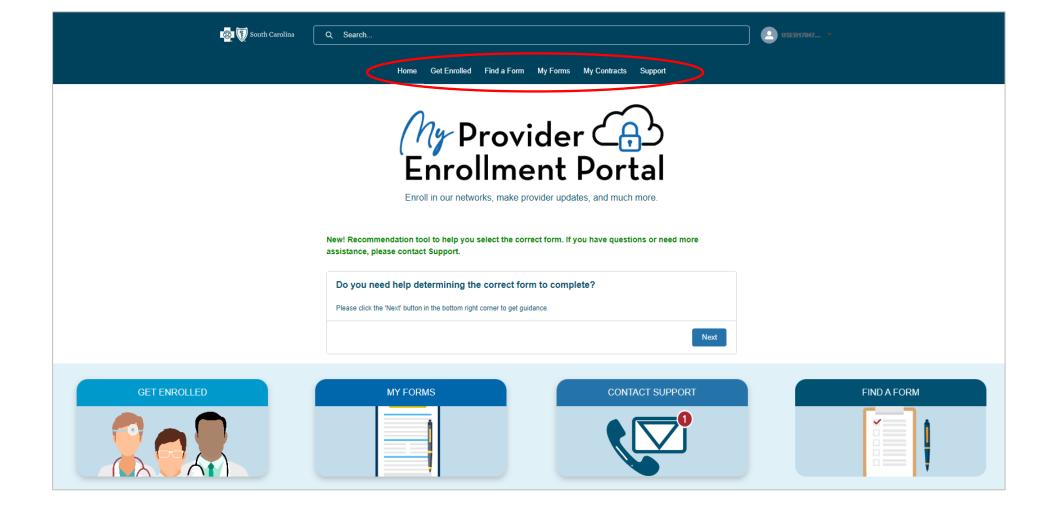
Sign Up for Access to the Portal

Visit www.SouthCarolinaBlues.com

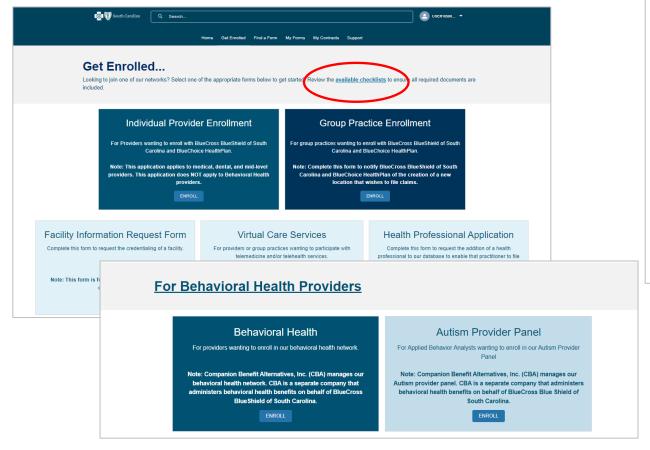
Providers>Provider Enrollment>My Provider Enrollment Portal



Home Page

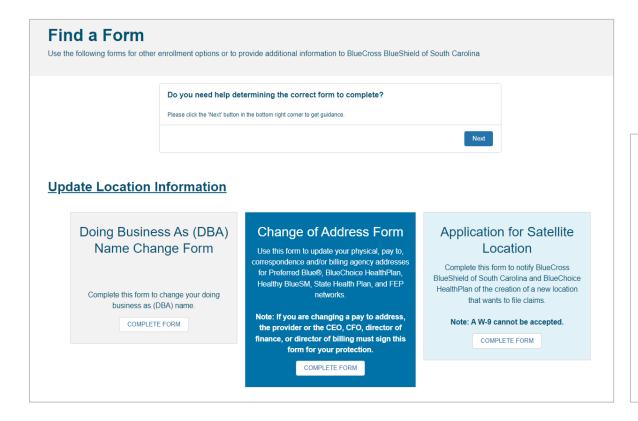


Get Enrolled

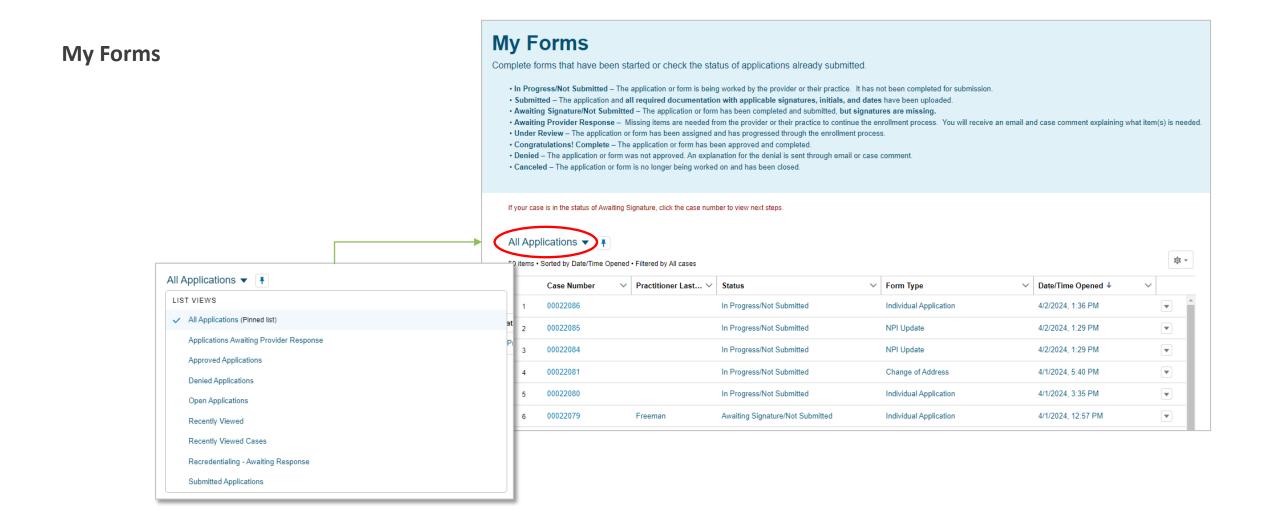


Individual Checklist											
Checklist Items		Advanced Practice Provider	Physician	DDS	DMD	Ancilla	ary C	hiro	Pharmacist		
Provider Enrollment Application		✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		
Copy of SC Medical or Practice License		✓	✓	✓	✓ ✓			✓	✓		
Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Certification*		✓ Footnote 1	✓	✓	✓				✓		
Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M)		✓	✓	✓	✓ ✓			✓	Footnote 6		
Authorization to Bill for Services		✓	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		
Nurse Practitioner Preceptor Form		✓ Footnote 2									
Protocols (Written Agreement)		✓ Footnote 2									
Signed Contracts		✓	✓	Footnote 4	Footnote	5 ✓		✓	✓		
Hold Harmless**	Group Practice Che	cklist									
Appendix D**	Checklist Items			Physician Office	Ambulance	DME			spice, Dialysis, d Nursing, ASC	Pharmacy	Dental
Professional Training***	Group Practice Application		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		
Medicaid ID Number****	IRS Verification of Tax ID (Letter 147C or CP 575E)		✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓		
*Only if applicable. **Only if applying for BlueChoice ***Required for MDs, DOs and D ****Only if applying for Healthy B	Electronic Funds Transfer Enrollment			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
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	Copy of DHEC Licens	е						✓		~	
	Medicaid ID Number*			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
	Copy of NPPES NPI Notification			✓	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	
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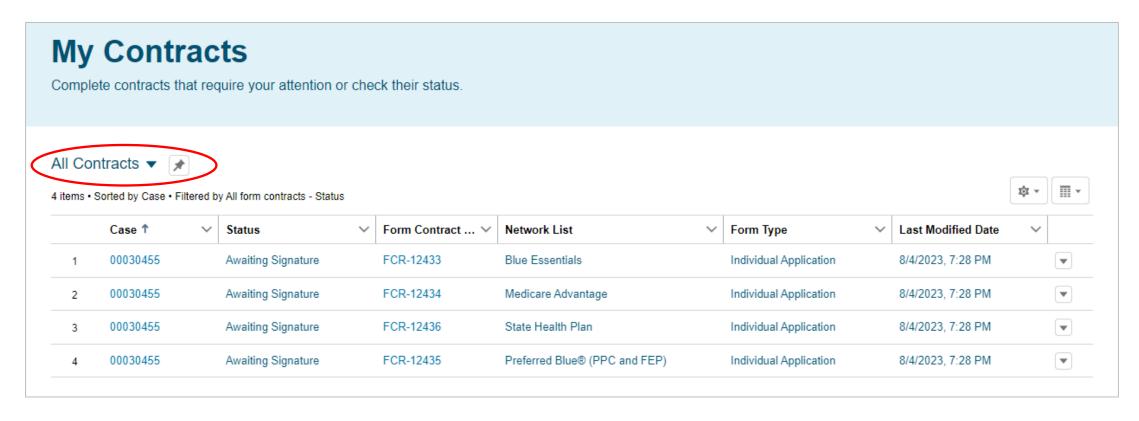
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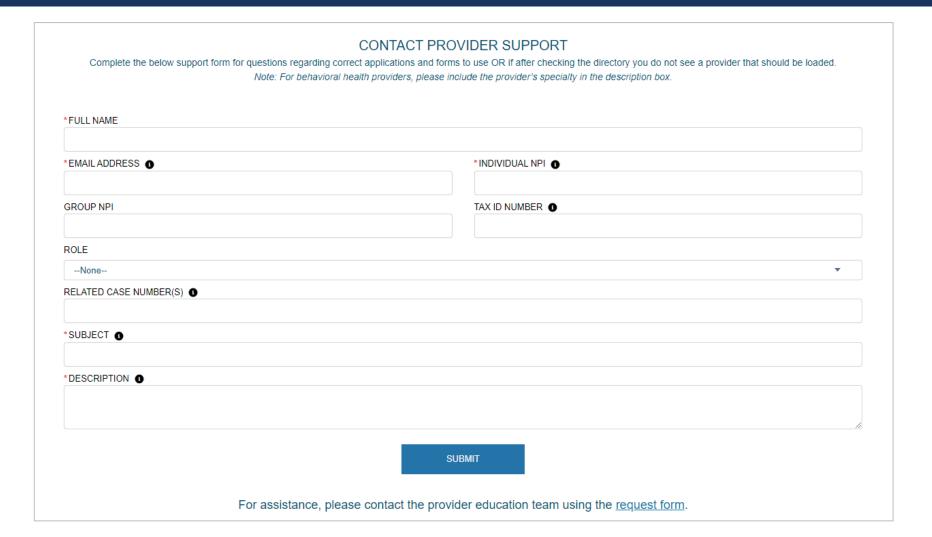
Update Provider Information NPI Provider Notification Form Add or Terminate Practitioner Affiliation Register your National Provider Identifier (NPI) with BlueCross BlueShield Please complete this form to request the addition or termination of a health of South Carolina and BlueChoice HealthPlan using this form. If you professional's association with your clinic, group, professional association, registered for more than one NPI, complete this form for each NPI. or institution for BlueCross BlueShield of South Carolina for Preferred Blue®, BlueChoice HealthPlan, Healthy BlueSM, FEP and/or State Health Attach your notification letter from the National Plan and Provider Plan. Enumeration System (NPPES) for each NPI you received. This verification is required. Note: This form should be completed no more than 30 days after the Note: This form is for out-of-state and out-of-network providers only. addition, termination or change. COMPLETE FORM COMPLETE FORM



My Contracts

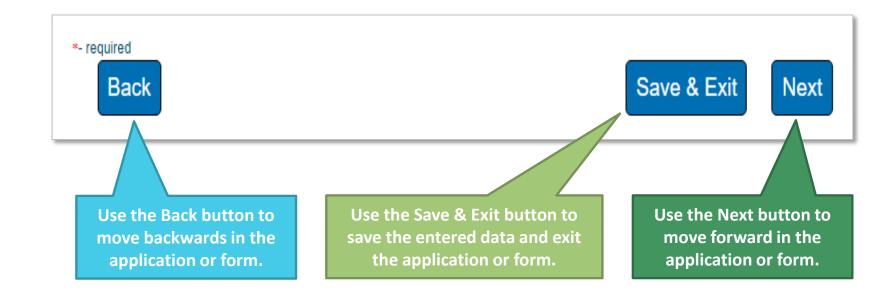


Support



Navigation

Navigational buttons



When you get here, you MUST select Next to submit the application.



You are almost done. See instructions below to complete your application.

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Next Steps for Medical Documents That Must be Signed.

Thank you

To complete your submission, go to the documents section under Form Information. Download your application, print, apply your signature, and re-upload them using the Upload Files button. Please note that your downloadable application will take a few minutes to appear.

Please note that:

- 1. You can always find your files under the "My Forms" section. Make note of your case number for easy access.
- If contracts are required, they will be found in the "My Contracts" section with the reference to your case number.
- 3. If you need assistance, use the communication case comment section in this case. This way both you and your representative will have all the information and questions in one location.

For applications and forms (Electronic or wet signature)

- 1. Select My Forms
- 2. Select the appropriate case number
- 3. Select Form Information
- 4. Under Documents, select the document(s) that require signature
- 5. Download the document(s) and have the signature(s) appended
- 6. Scan the signed documents and follow steps 1-4 and select Upload Files
- 7. Select the Confirm button to attest that all required documentation with applicable signatures, initials and dates have been uploaded

For contracts (Wet signature)

- 1. Select My Contracts
- 2. Select the appropriate form contract name that corresponds with your case number
- 3. Under Download Contract, select the link to download and sign the contract
- 4. Follow steps 1 2 and select Upload Files

Next Steps for Behavioral Health Documents That Must be Signed (CBA).

Thank you for your submission!

There are two options to sign and return applications/documents. They can be wet signed or they can be e-signed.

Signatures for Applications/Documents

An email will be sent to the individual practitioner for signature of their enrollment application allowing them to e-sign the application. However, as the credentialing contact, you also have the option to download the application, have the individual practitioner sign the application and upload the signed application to the case. See steps listed below. As the credentialing contact, you will receive a copy of the signed application.

For other documents and forms, if you wish to e-sign, an email will be sent from BCBS Admin at BCBS of SC (Formstack) requesting signatures. Once e-signed and submitted, we will receive your signed documents and begin processing your request. (Note: you will also receive an email containing the signed documents for your records.)

If you wish to wet sign the application/document, please see the instructions below.

- 1. Select "My Forms" from the MyPep options
- 2. Select the appropriate case number
- Select Form Information
- 4. Under Documents at the bottom of the page, select the application/document requiring signature
- 5. Select Download at the top of the page
- Print and sign the application/document
- 7. To upload the signed application/document, follow steps 1 and 2 above and click on Upload Files

Signatures for Contracts

Contractual agreements may be e-signed or wet signed. Wet signed document are required to be downloaded, signed, and uploaded into the MyPep Tool. To submit signed contracts, please see these instructions.

- 1. Select "My Contracts" from the MyPep options
- 2. Sort on "All Contracts"
- Locate your case number and click on corresponding "Form Contract Name"
- This will take you to a page containing a link to the document.
- 5. Print and sign the document. Save the signed document to your computer
- 6. To upload the signed document, follow steps 1 and 2 above and click on Upload Files

For applications (if wet signing)

- 1. Select My Forms
- 2. Select the appropriate case number
- 3. Select Form Information
- 4. Under Documents, select the document(s) that require signature
- 5. Download the document(s) and have the signature(s) appended
- 6. Scan the signed documents and follow steps 1-4 and select Upload Files
- 7. Select the Confirm button to attest that all required documentation with applicable signatures, initials and dates have been uploaded

For contracts (if wet signing)

- 1. Select My Contracts
- 2. Select the appropriate form contract name that corresponds with your case number
- 3. Under Download Contract, select the link to download and sign the contract
- 4. Follow steps 1 2 and select Upload Files

Next Steps for Documents That Do Not Have to be Signed.

Thank you

Please note that:

- 1. You can always find your files under the "My Forms" section. Make note of your case number for easy access.
- 2. If you need assistance, use the communication case comment section in this case. This way both you and your representative will have all the information and questions in one location.

Includes:

- NPI Provider Notification form
- Satellite Location application
- Virtual Care application

Confirmation Button – Provider Attestation

FORM FORM INFORMATION

Application Status: Awaiting Application Type: Individual Case Number: 00016466 Date Received: March 8, 2023

<u>Signature</u> <u>Application</u>

Contact Name: Tourne Andrew Practitioner Name: Donald Duck Networks Chosen: Blue Essentials

Please wait for at least five minutes for the PDF files to generate.

You confirm that all required documents have been completed appropriately; all applications, associated forms, and contracting documents have been signed and/or initialed and dated (with current date) as indicated on these documents, and the required information/documentation and signed forms have been uploaded to the case.

Confirm

Only select this button <u>AFTER</u>
the documents have
generated and all required
items have been uploaded.

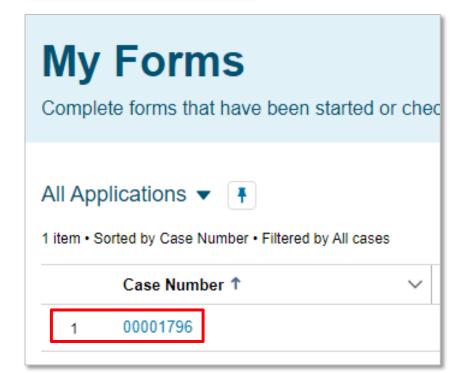
Thank you for uploading your documents.

Important Items in the Portal

- Case numbers
- Statuses
- Contracts
- Case comments

Case numbers

Generated with each application, form and support case.



Case numbers are used for:

- Checking statuses
- Submitting case comments
- Uploading provider contracts

Statuses

Changes as the application or form progresses.



Statuses include:

- In Progress/Not Submitted
- Submitted
- Awaiting Signature/Not Submitted
- Awaiting Provider Response
- Under Review
- Congratulations! Complete
- Denied
- Canceled

In progress/Not Submitted

The application or form is being worked by the provider or their practice. It has not been completed for submission.

Submitted

The application and all required documentation with applicable signatures, initials and dates have been uploaded.

Awaiting signature/Not Submitted

The application or form has been completed and submitted, **but signatures are missing**.

Awaiting provider response

Missing items are needed to continue the credentialing process.

Under review

The application or form has been assigned and has progressed through the credentialing process.

Congratulations! Complete

The application or form has been approved.

Denied

The application or form was not approved.

Note: Explanation for the denial is sent through email or case comment.

Canceled

The application or form is no longer being worked and has been closed.

Contracts

Provided during the application review process.



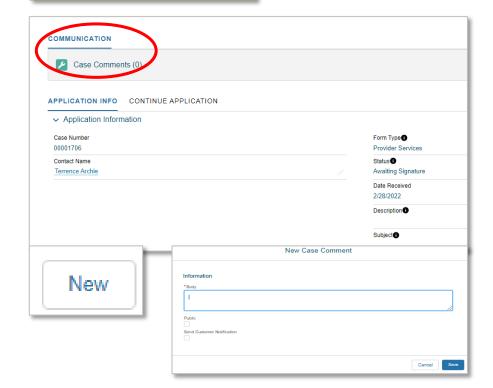
Steps for contracts:

- 1. Download the contract(s)
- Print the contract(s)
- 3. Have the practitioner sign the contract(s) in ink
- 4. Upload the signed contract(s) to the appropriate case

Note: Behavioral health contracts can be signed electronically.

Case comments

Use for case specific questions (applications and forms).



Steps for case comments:

- 1. Select Case Comments
- 2. Select New
- 3. Enter your comment or question in the body
- 4. Select Save

COMPLETING A CLEAN APPLICATION

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Steps to Submitting a Clean Application

- 1. Complete the enrollment application inside My Provider Enrollment Portal.
- 2. Download, print and sign (include signatures, initials and dates) the application and authorization to bill.
 - Documents will be listed under Form Information.
- Upload the signed documents back to the case.
 - Select My Forms.
 - Select the case number.
 - Select Form Information.
 - Select Upload Files.
- 4. Download, print and sign (include signatures and dates) all applicable contracts.
- 5. Upload the signed contracts to the case.

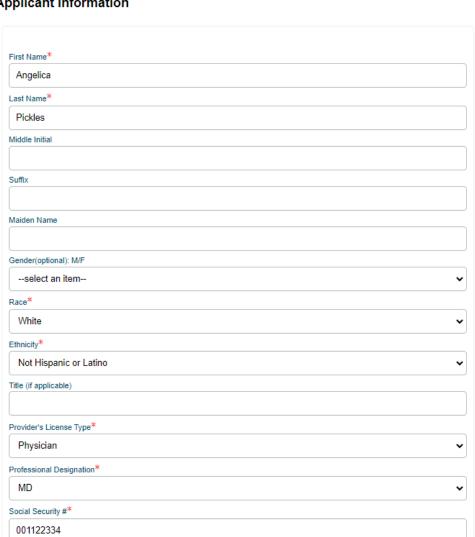
Checklist Items Provider Enrollment Application Copy of SC Medical or Practice License Drug Enforcement Administration (DEA) Certification* Current Copy of Malpractice (Min. \$1M/\$3M) Authorization to Bill for Services Signed Contracts Professional Training** Hold Harmless*** Appendix D**** Medicaid ID Number****

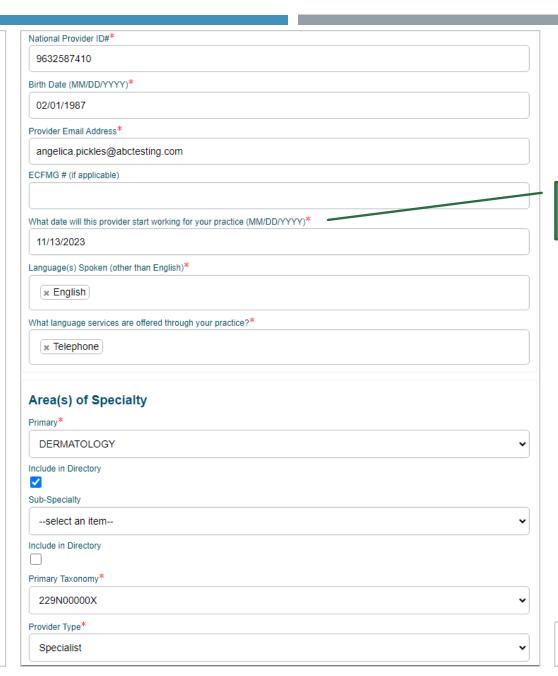
Start with the appropriate checklist.

Initial Enrollment Information Applicant Information Medical/Professional Ed > Initial Enrollment Information Network(s) Selection Networks in which you are requesting to participate (Select all that apply). If you select the Healthy Blue network, you MUST provide the Individual Medicaid ID # at the time of submission for this case. If you currently do not have the Medicaid ID#, please choose one of the two options below for your next step for this enrollment: 1: You will hold the application for all network(s) credentialing to be processed at one time by clicking "Save and Exit." This will save what you have completed to this point, and you can return to submit the application once you have received the Medicaid ID#. 2: You will move forward with the enrollment excluding the Healthy Blue Network on this application. Once the Medicaid ID # is received, you will submit a new separate case for that network only. **Please be mindful we WILL NOT combine the cases of the submitted information if option #2 is chosen.** To select multiples: Please hold control key and click the network(s). Blue Essentials Blue Option^{5M} BlueChoice HealthPlan Healthy Blue^{5M} Medicare Advantage You are acknowledging that the Healthy Blue network is being excluded from this provider enrollment application intentionally. You are aware that if the Healthy Blue network participation is needed, a new separate Case is required to be submitted. Healthy Blue Acknowledgement* --select an item--Contact Information Credentialing Contact First Name* Credentialing Contact Last Name* Credentialing Contact Role* --select an item--Credentialing Contact Email* Credentialing Contact Phone* Preferred Method of Contact* --select an item--

Applicant Information Medical/Professional Education Professional Training L >

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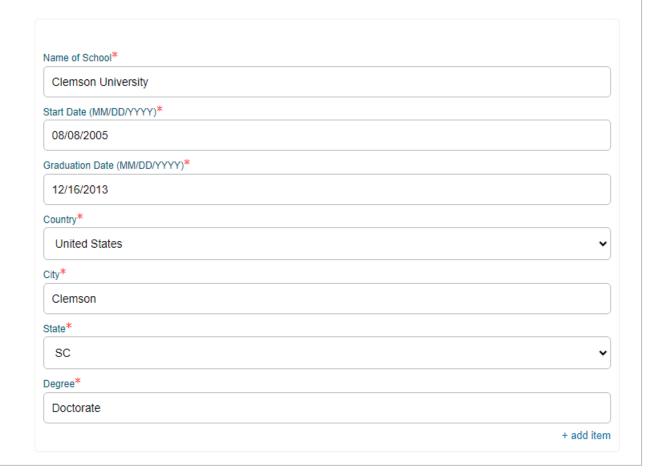


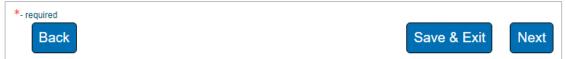
Must match **Authorization to Bill.**

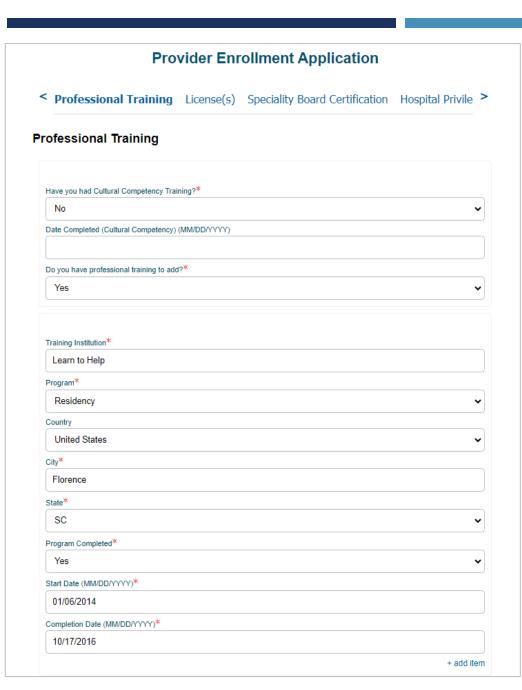
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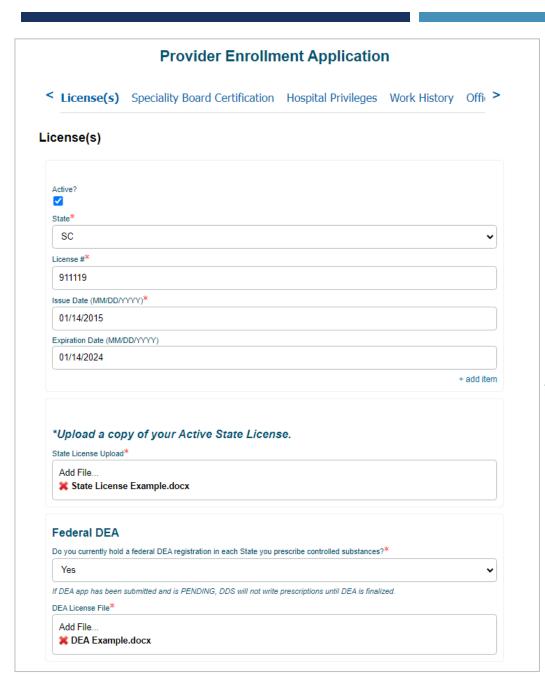
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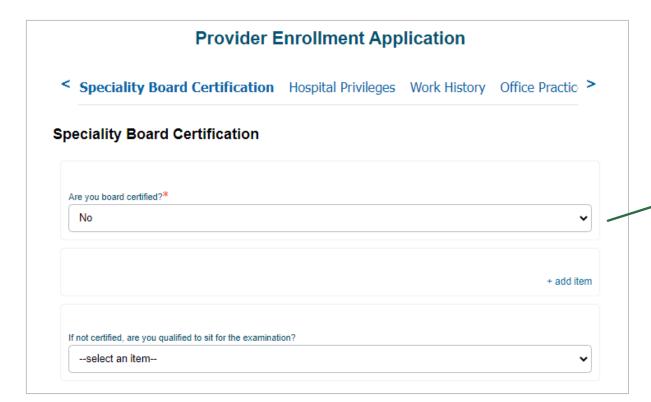




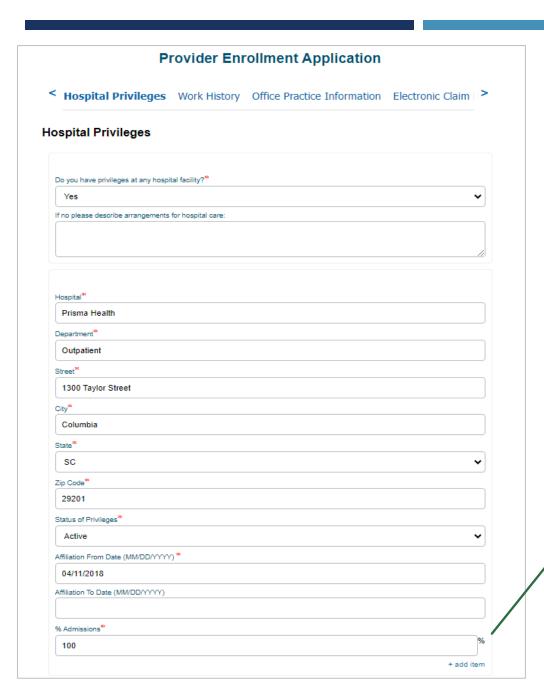
DOs, DPMs and MDs must have a minimum of residency training for credentialing.



Licenses must be active on or before the requested start date for the practice.



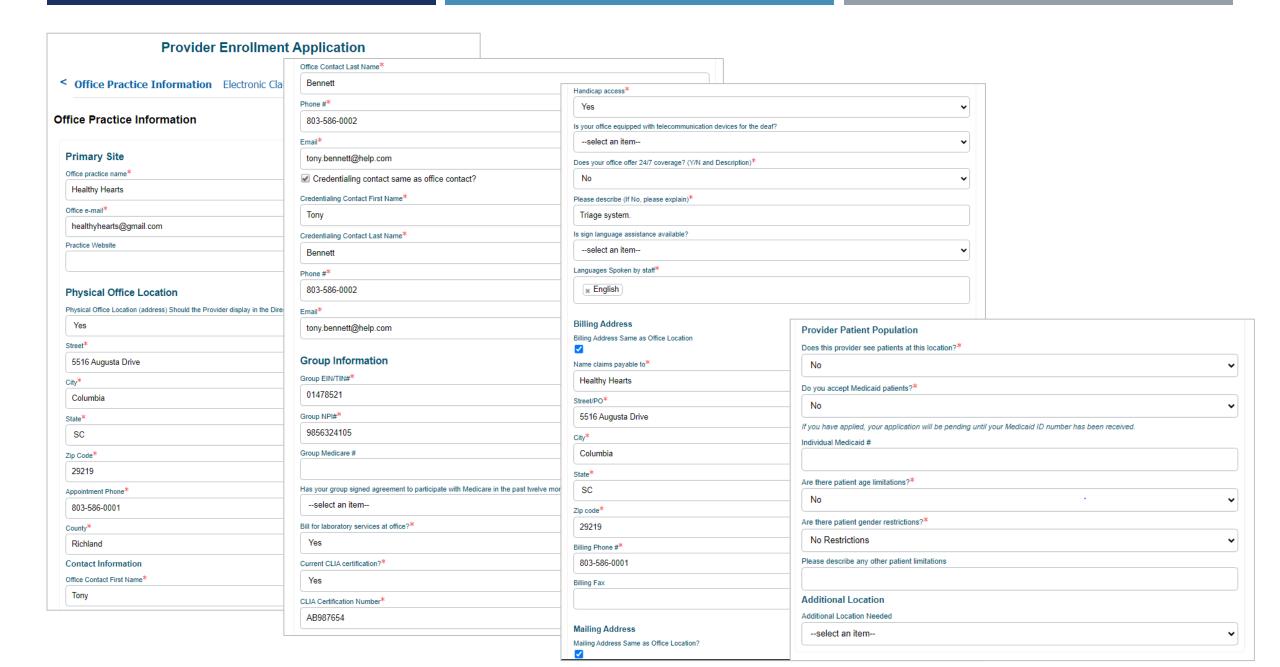
If you select Yes, additional details are required.



Admissions must total 100%. If there are multiple privileges, the <u>TOTAL</u> should be 100 combined, not separately.

Provider Enrollment Application Work History Office Practice Information Electronic Claim Filing Requirement | F **Work History** Please enter your current or most recent employer first. To enter a future employer, ensure the Current checkbox is checked. Current Name of Previous/ Current Employer* ABC Help From Date (MM/DD/YYYY)* 01/16/2017 + add item Explanation of gaps in work history

Be sure to select the 'Current' box if the provider is currently working for the practice. Additionally, if their work history does not cover five years, please include an explanation.



Provider Disclosure Information Malpractice Insurance Auth to Bill You are >

Provider Disclosure Information

If you are filling out this application on behalf of a provider, please skip this section. This section must be completed by the provider.

If you answer yes to any of the questions listed below, include a detailed explanation of each answer. The explanation must accompany the application for it to be considered a complete application.

1. Do you have any pending misdemeanor or felony charges?**

No ·

Have you ever been convicted of a felony?*

No v

3. Has your license to practice medicine in any jurisdiction ever been voluntarily or involuntarily denied, restricted, suspended, challenged, revoked, conditioned or otherwise limited?**

No ·

4. In the past five years and up to and including the present, have you had any ongoing physical or mental impairment or condition which would make you unable, with or without reasonable accommodation, to perform the essential functions of a practitioner in your area of practice, or unable to perform those essential functions without a direct threat to the health and safety of others?**

No ·

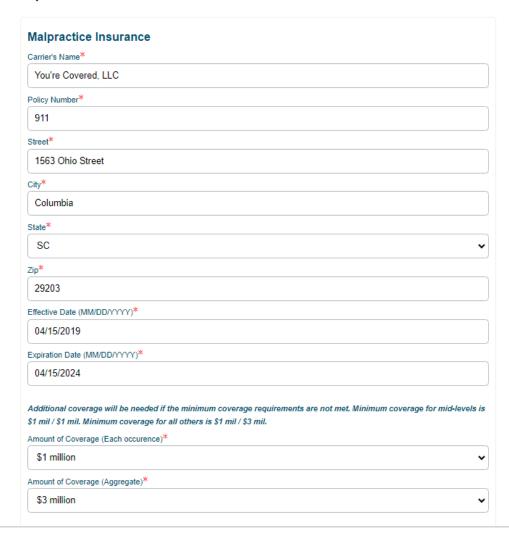
5. Considering the essential functions of a practitioner in your area of practice is the past five years and up to and including the present, have you suffered from any communicable health condition that could pose a significant health and safety risk to your patients?**

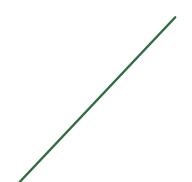
No ·

6. Have you ever been publicly reprimanded or disciplined by a professional licensing agency or board?*	
No	~
. Has your DEA certification or state-controlled drug permit ever been restricted, suspended, revoked, volunta therwise limited?*	arily relinquished or
No	~
B. Have any of your privileges or memberships at any hospital or institution ever been denied, suspended, red enewed or otherwise limited?**	uced, revoked, not
No	~
9. Has your participation in Medicare, Medicaid, or any other government program ever been limited, curtailed excluded yourself from any of these programs?*	or have you voluntarily
No	~
10. Has your participation in an Insurance Company network ever been limited or terminated?* No	
11. In the past five year and up to the present, have you had a history of chemical dependency or substance a your ability to competently and safely perform the essential functions of a practitioner in your area of practice? No	
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< Malpractice Insurance Auth to Bill You are almost done. See instructions below >

Malpractice Insurance





Malpractice must be active on or before the requested start date for the practice.

*Upload a copy of your malpractice insurance verification. This must include the practitioner's name on the certificate to be valid.

Upload Malpractice Insurance*

Add File...

X Malpractice Example.docx

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Auth to Bill

08/04/2023	
Name of Clinic, Group, or Professional Asso	ciation*
Healthy Hearts	
Will bill for and receive charges or fees for n	ny services effective (MM/DD/YYYY)*
11/13/2023	
EIN Number ^{ik}	
01478521	
Practitioner First Name	
Angelica	
Practitioner Last Name	
Pickles	
Practitioner SSN*	
001122334	
Practitioner's NPI*	
9632587410	
Practitioner's Email Address*	
angelica.pickles@abctesting.com	
Representative Name*	
Tony Bennett	
Representative Title	
Office Manager	
Representative's Contact Telephone Numbe	er .
803-586-0002	
Representative's Email Address*	

Must match the requested start date with the practice on page one of the application.

You are almost done. See instructions below to complete your application. >

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To complete your submission, go to the documents section under Form Information. Download your application, print, apply your signature, and re-upload them using the Upload Files button. Please note that your downloadable application will take a few minutes to appear.

Please note that:

- 1. You can always find your files under the "My Forms" section. Make note of your case number for easy access.
- 2. If contracts are required, they will be found in the "My Contracts" section with the reference to your case number.
- 3. If you need assistance, use the communication case comment section in this case. This way both you and your representative will have all the information and questions in one location.

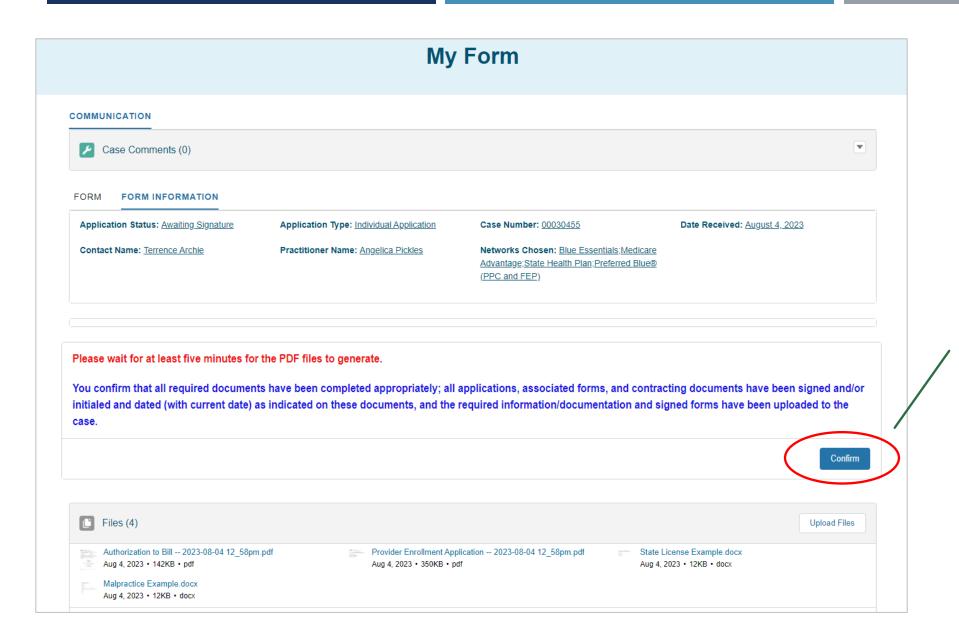
*- required



Save & Exit

Next

Select Next.



If some of your files do not generate, Select Upload Files to add any missing documents.

FORM FORM INFORMATION

Application Status: Submitted

Application Type: Individual Application

Contact Name: Terrence Archie

Case Number: 00030455

Date Received: August 4, 2023

Practitioner Name: Angelica Pickles

Networks Chosen: Blue Essentials; Medicare Advantage; State Health Plan; Preferred Blue®

(PPC and FEP)

Thank you for uploading your documents.

CONTRACTS AWAITING SIGNATURE Form Contract Name **Network List** Form Type Contract FCR-12433 Blue Essentials Individual Application View FCR-12434 Medicare Advantage Individual Application View FCR-12435 Preferred Blue® (PPC and FEP) Individual Application View FCR-12436 State Health Plan Individual Application View

View All

Your Contracts Awaiting Signature

Remember to download, sign and upload the contracts to your case.

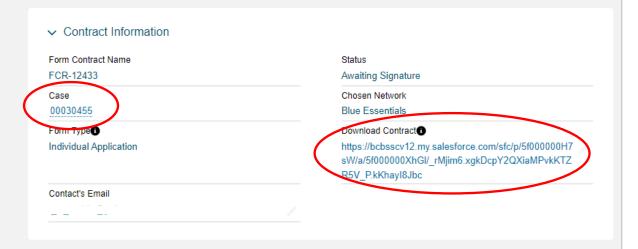
HELP:

This page contains the contracts that require your signature based on the Network that you have chosen to enroll in.

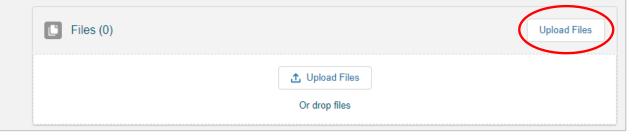
To download your contracts, click the link under **DOWNLOAD CONTRACT.**

Once you have signed the required contracts, upload them using the **UPLOAD FILES** button below.

If you are unsure what this contract is for, click the link under **CASE** to see which application this contract is associated with.



Once you've Signed your Contract, Upload it Below



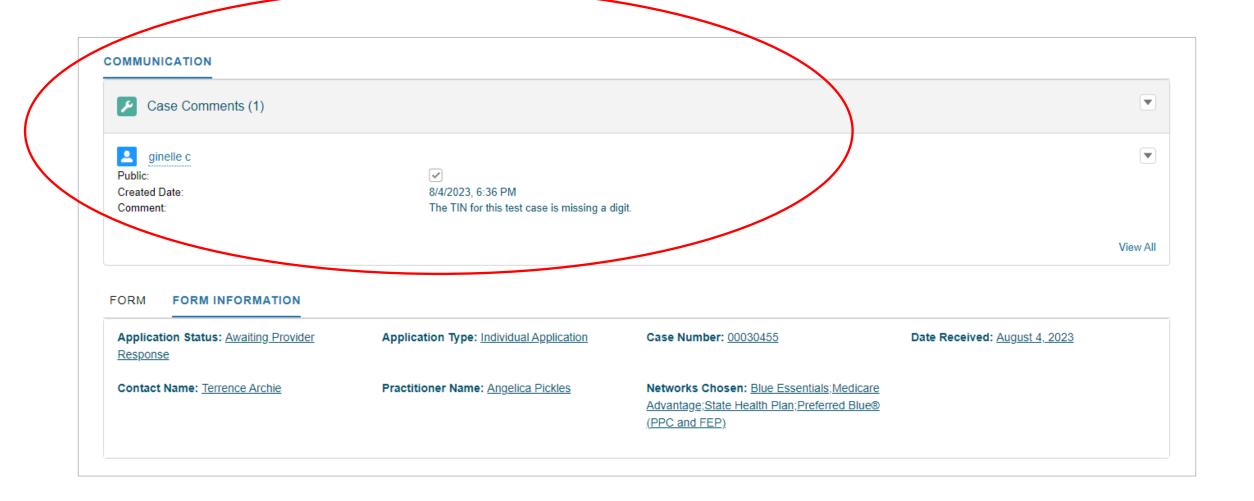
Correcting Applications

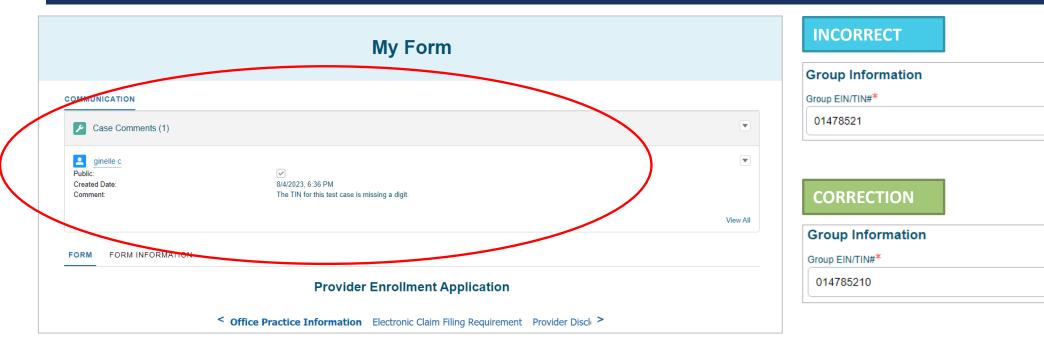
- All corrections must be made in the portal.
 - Allows the system to track the corrections and applies them to the appropriate fields.
 - The newly generated documented will have the corrections and should be printed, signed, dated and initialed.
- Handwritten corrections will not be accepted and will be returned.

Below is the information we are missing:

Here are your next steps:

- 1. If you are **ONLY** correcting information in the application:
- CLICK the Form tab to make your corrections in the application.
- . CLICK the NEXT button at the bottom of each section.
- . AFTER clicking the last NEXT button, WAIT until the new forms generate
- DOWNLOAD the updated PDFs to have them signed.
- 2. If you are **ONLY** uploading files and **DID NOT** correct any information in the application:
- UPLOAD your files FIRST.
- CLICK the CONFIRM button below the Documents section.
- 3. If you are correcting information in the application AND uploading files:
- . CORRECT the information in the form like in Step 1 FIRST.
- UPLOAD the applicable files after the new PDFs are generated like in Step 2.
- AFTER your signed documents have been uploaded, click the CONFIRM button below the Documents section.





You confirm that all corrected/missing documents/information, with the appropriate signatures/initials and dates if required, have been uploaded to the case.

Confirm

RESOURCES

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Available Resources

Visit www.SouthCarolinaBlues.com and follow the path:

Providers>Provider Enrollment>My Provider Enrollment Portal

My Provider Enrollment Portal Manual

Provider Enrollment Presentation

Provider Enrollment FAQs

THANK YOU!